

How to get started with revision

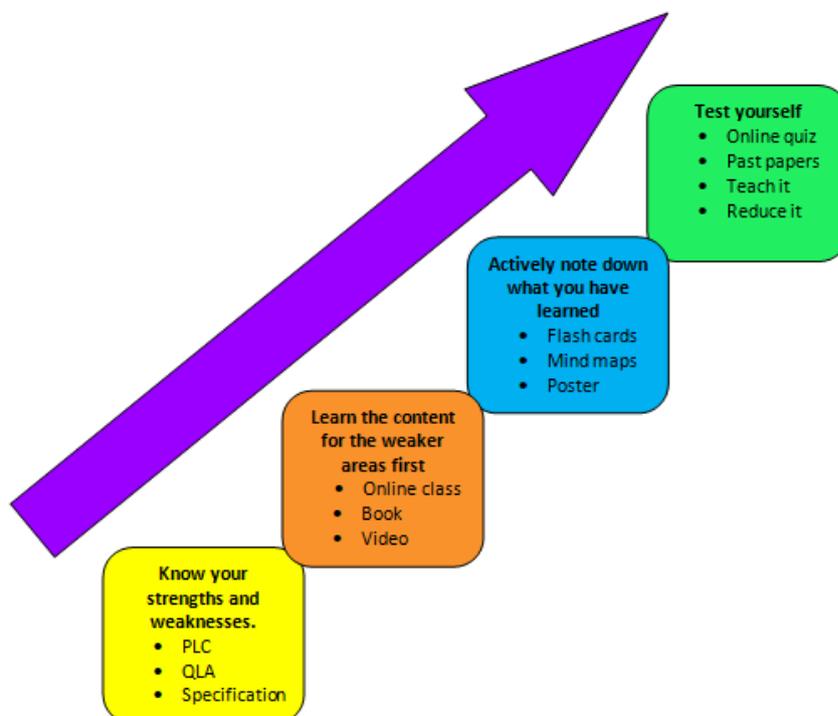
We remember what we think about so having an active revision strategy will really help you learn more.

Follow these four simple steps to help beat, overwhelm and achieve exam success.

Ask your teacher to help you pinpoint areas of weakness using a Personalised Learning Checklist (PLC) or download the specification from the exam board website.

[AQA](#) [OCR](#) [Edexcel](#)

If you prefer a paper-based approach an exam board and tier specific revision guide may be useful to help chunk topics. Ask your teacher to recommend one.



Websites

Once you have identified the areas to focus your revision on, these websites may be a good place to begin.

<p>National Oak Academy These are online lessons delivered by science teachers.</p>	<p>All subjects - Key Stage 4 - Oak National Academy The video lessons start with a quick recap, complemented by a series of worksheets and end of unit quizzes. The answers are provided to see how you are progressing.</p>
<p>BBC Bitesize: Online resource where you can choose the relevant exam board which is recommended.</p>	<p>GCSE Combined Science - BBC Bitesize GCSE Biology (Single Science) - BBC Bitesize GCSE Chemistry (Single Science) - BBC Bitesize GCSE Physics (Single Science) - BBC Bitesize</p>
<p>GCSE Pod: A paid for subscription which your school may have. It has practical and maths in science multiple choice questions too.</p>	<p>GCSE Pod</p>
<p>Save my exams: Free resources which include revision notes, topic questions, past papers and</p>	<p>GCSE Past Papers & Questions by Topic Save My Exams</p>



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Seneca Learning: Free resources which have learning material in small chunks. Diagnostic questions and assessments with answers. Exam boards can be selected.	Seneca Learning Combined Science Seneca Learning Biology Seneca Learning Chemistry Seneca Learning Physics
Snap revise: Free series of video lessons on YouTube. You can select the exam board. There is a paid for section in addition.	Snaprevise GCSE Science
Freesciencelessons: A YouTube video series for AQA Combined science (trilogy). It includes higher tier and foundation tier versions. This is relevant to those studying separate sciences for the core content. Workbooks can be bought.	freesciencelessons

Flash cards, quizzes and past exam papers

Mathsmadeeasy has lots of science exam questions by topic and by full paper with the markschemes Your exam board website may have past exam papers to try. AQA OCR Edexcel Physicsandmathstutor is a good source for flashcards, mind maps, definitions and questions.	GCSE Biology Exam Questions By Topic Past Papers GCSE Biology Past Papers GCSE Chemistry Exam Questions by Topic MME GCSE Chemistry Past Papers Mark Schemes GCSE Physics Exam Questions by Topic Mark Schemes GCSE Physics Past Papers MME
If analysing graphs are a weakness try this:	Analysing graphs Graph skills
Quizlet: Make your own flashcards or search for premade ones. Watch out for mistakes though!	Science Quizlet
Other apps	PhysQuiz android Apple version

Core Practical videos

Remember that at least 15% of the GCSE qualification is allocated to questions that test your understanding of scientific experiments. Here are some suggestions of practical videos to help revise.

[Malmesbury School Required practical videos](#) [Ms Huckins AQA Biology and Chemistry practicals](#)

[Edexcel GCSE science practical videos](#)

Finally if you enjoy revising through podcasts then try these: [Seneca Combined Science](#) [Seneca Physics](#) [Seneca Biology](#) [Seneca Chemistry](#)

